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GREAT BARGAIN.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, Aug. 1.—Welland McArthur, camping with two other boys near Aliceville, B. C., climbed up a pole to the top storey of a building vacant since railway construction days, and went to sleep. Some time in the night he got up, still asleep, went to the hole at which the pole went through, and in the net of climbing down woke up, falling to the floor beneath. Both legs are paralyzed, besides which he has suffered internal injuries. It is thought, however, that the lad, who is but 16, will pull through.

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A by-law to allow bicycle racks on the sidewalk was read a second time at the council meeting last night. Ald. McQueen's by-law to set a fashion in bathing apparel got little support, and was withdrawn.

Newton A. White, second son of the late Rev. Edward White, and who was the first white child born in New Westminster, died at 9 o'clock Monday morning. Mr. White moved to Hamilton with his family when yet a child, and became prominent in aquatic circles in that city. He returned to New Westminster in 1883, being a member of one of the first lacrosse teams organized in the province.

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In July there were registered in Vancouver 44 births, 16 marviages and 32 deaths.

During July there were 94 cases in the Vancouver police court.

There was a small spurt of sockeyes in the Fraser on Sunday night, but today there are no salmon in the river. The traps, also, are reported empty, and the cannerymen are becoming anxious. Puget Sound packers have put up close on 200,000 cases since the opening of the sockeye season, these fish being intercepted by traps when on the way to the Fraser river, whose canneries have been practically idle.

THE SHAMROCK'S SAILING.

Greenock, Aug. 1.—The challenger will proceed to Fairlee at about noon on Wednesday, and will remain here for the night. Sir Thomas Lipton's steam yacht Erin will join the Shamrock Thursday morning, and the two vessels will start for America about 10 o'clock.

DOMINION NEWS NOTES.

Special to the Colonist. Mr. Tarte Very III.

Toronto, Aug 1.—The World's Ottawa correspondent says he is informed that a private cablegram represents Mr. Tarte's condition as more alarming than the published despatches indicate. It is said he was unconscious early on Tuesday, and his recovery is very slow, his system having been apparently greatly run down.

Te Late Speaker's Funeral.

Toronto, Aug 1.—The funeral of Sir James Edgar will take place to St. James' cemetery on Thursday morning, and by decision of the family will be strictly private.

Grand Trunk Grievances.

Montreal, Aug. 1.—Just whether there will be a strike among Grand Trunk trackmen depends upon the answer received to the circular sent out by the executive of the trackmen's union. It sets forth the results of the conference with Manager Hays, which was nil, and demands that a uniform rate of wages be given.

Those Chinese Projects.

Montreal, Aug. 1.—It has transpired that Mackenzie & Mann's projects in China have a good deal to do with certain concessions which Sir Charles Ross, the Kootenay capitalist, has obtained scince his arrival in China. The concessions are important, and he cabled Mackenzie & Mann to help carry them through.

Ancient Artillery.

Moutreal, Aug. 1.—Detachments of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Asso-ciation, both of London and Boston, will visit Montreal next June. Col. S. M. Hedges and Fred. M. Purmost, of Boston, are here making arrangements.

Drownings. St. John, Aug. 1.—On Saturday night James Sinclair, a fisherman, aged 57, upset close to the wharves in a boat and was drowned.

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was growned:
The American schooner Nimrod, from
New York, reports that on Monday morning a sailor named Amos Seaman, of
Shuleens, was drowned.

Minister's Sudden Death.

Halifax, Aug. 1.—Rev. P. M. Morrison, agent of the Presbyterian church in the Maritime Provinces, died yesterday at Chatham, N. B. He was taken ill on the train. Lightning Victims.

Halifax, Aug. 1.—In Friday's thunder storm in Cape Breton a child aged 4 was killed at Big Glace Bay. Another was injured, and the Catholic cathedral was damaged. Drowned Each Other.

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Sydney, C. B., Aug. 1.—William Kehoe and James Doyle, of Whitney Pier, and John Morrison, truckman, of this town, left North Sydney for here in a small boat. They had been drinking. There had been bad feeling between Kehoe and Doyle, and when off Point Edwards they began to fight and clinched. After a short struggle both men fell overhoard. Morrison tried to rescue them, but could not, and they continued to fight in the water until both went down.

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Brussells, Ang. 1.—At the opening of the session of the chamber of deputies, M. Vander Peereboom announced the resignation of the ministry, and added if the chamber did not object the government would remain at its disposition for the conduct of current business, M. Vande Wilde, Socialist, protested against this proposal, and demanded that all debates be adjourned, as the chamber could not discuss questions in the absence of a responsible government. The chamber finally decided to deal with non-contentious measures only.

NIGER BILL ACCEPTED.

London, Aug. 1.—The Niger bill pass-lits second reading in the House of

Bank Panic In Quebec.

Two Other French Institutions Besieged by the Anxious Depositors.

Archbishop Appeals to People Not to Invite Disaster by Senseless Fear.

Fortunes Meanwhile Lost Daily by Sacrifice of Stocks on 'Change.

Special to the Colonist.

Montreal, Aug. 1.-There was a run on the Hochelaga and Nationale banks to-day. The management of each insti tution say such an event was expected, to meet all demands. Depositors, es pecially of the smaller class, appear to be panic-stricken as the result of the Ville Marie and Jacques Cartier banks

suspending, Although a big crowd was around the head office of the Hochelaga bank all norning, it was an orderly one, and there was no excitement. The management

was no excitement. The management says it will keep the bank open as long as necessary to satisfy people that the institution is solvent.

There are but few depositors in the Banque Nationale, and unless the panic spreads to Quebec, where the head office is situated, it may pull through all right.

The Hochelaga bank has a

right.

The Hochelaga bank has a reserve fund of over \$2,000,000, and there are no fears for its safety.

The bank crisis has precipitated what practically amounts to a panic on the stock exchange, stocks being thrown on the market in large lots, and prices have fallen considerably. Brokers are selling securities held on margins to protect themselves, and are taking almost anything they can get for them. Montreal Street Railway has gone down 11 points. General Electric 9 points, Toronto Railway 4 points, Gas 4 points, and so on through the list.

Archbishop Bruchesi has issued an appeal to those who have money in the banks not to allow themselves to be panic-stricken by the disasters of the last few days. The panic, he says, will go by, and the banks, he has not the least doubt, will honor all their obligations.

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F. W. Taylor, assistant inspector of
the Bank of Montreal, and W. H. Power, inspector of the Merchants' Bank of
Canada, have been named to investigate
the bank note circulation of the Ville
Marie bank. So far, there is no trace
of Herbert, the missing Banque Ville
Marie teller.

SAMOANS YEARN FOR ADOPTION Confess Inability to Govern Themselves and Invite Annexation by Most

Anybody. Samoa, July 26, via Auckland, N. Z. Aug. 1.—At a meeting of Samoans just held both parties signed an agreement held both parties signed an agreement abolishing the kingship and presidency, and agreeing to an administrator with a legislative council of three tripartite nominees. The commissioners left here on board the United States transport Badger July 10. Mr. Elliott, British representative, has gone to New Zealand. Thence he will go to San Francisco. At a meeting of the Malieton party the speakers expressed a desire for annexation, as the best solution of the question in the dispute, but they did not set forth by what country they desired to be annexed.

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United States Consul Osborne will act as chief justice. Dr. Solfa, the German, claimed the right to act as chief justice, under the treaty, but the commissioners withholding their consent, Dr. Sofa resigned the office of president, as he claimed the cemmission's act was an insult to his honor and nationality. The German commissioner, Baron Speck von Sturnberg, called upon Dr. Solfa to withdraw his claim in favor of Mr. Osborne.

A POLICEMAN'S DISGRACE.

Stole Trinkets From a Corpse, and Wil Do Four Years in Sing Sing.

New York, Aug. 1.—Policeman Thos. O'Brien, who on June 10 stole a gold watch and chain and two lockets from the body of Captain G. D. Rhodes, of the Seventh regiment, who was killed on that day by an electric car, was sentenced to-day to four years and three months in Sing Sing.

GLASGOW LAWYER'S FALL.

Stole Clients' Funds on a Large Scale and Lands in Prison.

Glasgow, Aug. 1.—George Colquhoun a lawyer, has been arrested here on the charge of embezzling funds belonging to his clients. His liabilities are said to be over £100,000. Colquhoun was for merly city treasurer.

SMUGGLED CHINAMEN.

Newport, Vt., Aug. 1.—United States Commissioner John Young to-day ordered the deportation of three Chinamen. Ho Jack, Lung Kwei and Ah Long, smuggled, it is said, into this country over the Canadian line. The Chinamen claimed that they were merchants. A stay was granted, pending further hearing.

THE ORIGINAL.

There is only one remedy known that has a combined action on the kidneys and liver and cures the most compileated allments of these delicate filtering organs, and that is Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pill. This, world-famous kidney and liver cure that an enormous sale in all parts of Canada and the United States.

BOUNDARY STORY DENIED. Colonial Office Did Not Authorize Statement Recently Attributed to Officials.

London, Aug. 1.—A few days ago news agency issued a statement on the alleged authority of the colonial office here that the Alaskan question hinged on the interpretation of the Anglo-Russian treaty of 1825 defining the boundary and explaining Great Britain's po

sition with considerable detail, saying "The colonial office is not aware that the United States has offered Canada a portion of Lynn canal," and adding that was "not correct to state that Lord Salisbury was hampered by Sir Wilfrid

Salisbury was hampered by Sir Wilfrid Laurier."
Mr. John Anderson, principal clerk of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, says that no such statement was issued by the colonial office to a representative of the news agency, and that absolutely no such particulars in regard to the Alaskan question have been given to any representative of that agency, which has therefore used the authority of the British colonial office entirely without warrant.

POLICY SHOPS FOR CHARITY.

Montreal Sham Exposed by Arrests for Defrauding Its Proprietors.

By Associated Press.

Montreal, Aug. 1.-There is a great ensation in local policy-playing circles of Montreal this evening. Montreal has tutions which under the guise of charity run policy shops. One of these is the Society d'Ecoles Gratites des Enfants Pauvres. Its place of business is on St. Lawrence street, one of the main tho:oughfares of the city. The money raised is supposed to be devoted to the free education of poor children, and the society has a school for this purpose.

society has a school for this purpose. Regular policy tickets are sold, the usual gigs being played.

For some time past the manager, Ernest David, has been suspicious that everything has not been going quite right. The losses were heavier than usual. Detectives were called in, and the result is that to-night cells in the central police station are occupied by George St. Germain, a clerk in the company's employ, Thomas Berry, F. Warner, Frank Tigh and Gua Siluminiere, while the detectives are looking for five more men.

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The warrants upon which the men were arrested charge them with having, through conspiracy, robbed the society of at least \$10,000. Ernest David, the manager, says the losses may go as high as \$18,000.

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The mode of operation was that one of the agents of the society would make a return of a ticket sold, and the clerk would hold the slip out until the drawing had taken place. Then the slip would be returned to the agent, the winning number inserted, and the next day the ticket corresponding would be presented for payment. for payment.

SANTIAGO'S SURRENDER.

Spanish Commanders Tell How Hope less Their Situation Had Become

Madrid, Aug. 1.-At the second session of the court-martial of Generals Toral and Pareja, who are charged with sur-rendering Santiago de Cuba to the and Pareja, who are charged with surrendering Santiago de Cuba to the Americans without having exhausted all means of defence, Pareja said the garrison of the city of Santiago lacked food, many of the soldiers having died of hunger. Previously, however, he added, the troops fought bravely, and many of the officers and men were killed. In addition, the hospitals lacked medicines. The General read several telegrams exchanged between the authorities at Washington and Major-General Shafter, the latter showing himself confident of forcing the surrender of Santiago.

General Toral made a similar defence. He said Santiago was defenceless, and that it was impossible to hold out longer. He read a telegram sent him by Captaingwith the authorities at Madrid, approved of the capitulation.

Another officer testified that when hentered Santiago he found three-quarters of the troops sick.

Gen. Rubi gave testimony to the effect that further resistance would have been equivalent to the death of the remainder of the troops.

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Col. Ordonnez testified that he was blockaded and therefore did not take part in the conference when it was decided to surrender. But, he said, he believed all means of resistance had been exhausted. The capitulation might have been avoided by an attempt to break through the enemy's lines, causing much bloodshed, but the spirit of the troops was weakened when they lost all hope of outside help.

Strong WisiTED THE COMMONS.

London, Aug. 1.—Mr. Thomas IS. Reed. former Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and Arabassador Choate occupied seats in the blands of Spain.

Bain Is Speaker.

Commons Confers High Honor on the Farmer Member for Wentworth.

Claims of Victorians for Property Loss by Macaulay Point Reserve.

Expert Evidence Proves the Or-

ganized Rascalities in West Huron.

'rom Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Aug. 1.-Thomas Bain, member for South Wentworth, is the new Speaker of the Commons. He was chosen by the cabinet this morning over flint and Ellis, on account of his lengthier experience. The promotion of Deputy Speaker Brodeur was out of the question, owing to the Speaker of the Senate being French. When the house met at 3 o'clock, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, addressing the clerk, described to him the qualifications essential in the presiding officer of the house, said these qualifications were possessed in an eminent degree by Mr. Bain, and moved his elec-

degree by Mr. Bain, and moved his election.

Sir Charles Tupper warmly approved the government's choice, speaking of the fairness which Mr. Bain invariably manifested when in the chair. Mr. Bain was conducted to the chair by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Fielding, and took his seat amid applause. He then expressed his appreciation of the honor done him, especially thanking Sir Charles for his kind words. Later on the Commoners went over to the Senate, where the Governor-General was informed by Mr. Bain of his election.

A Favored Contractor.

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The house spent the evening in supply. In animated discussion took place on the sweating system, the opposition showing that the provision against sweating had been violated in the contract for militia

been violated in the contract of a clothing.

Col. Prior to-night brought up the Macaulay Point claims, in which Messrs, Kent. Tiarks, Fell, Price, Pitts and others are interested. He gave a full and plain statement of the case, and advised the government to pay up.

Plain Ballot Stuffing.

In the West Huron enquiry Mr lardy, paper expert at Eddy's mills ested by micrometer the 14 alleged Hardy, paper expert at Eddy's mills, tested by micrometer the 14 alleged bogus ballots found in the Colborne ballot box, and demonstrated that they were on entirely different paper from any of the 93 stubs in the pad of ballots used at that mill, conclusive evidence of crooked work by Liberals in the election. The Grit members of the committee were greatly disheartened at this evidence.

MANITOBA AND NORTHWEST. Speedy Cyclist Moving West-C. P. R. Trainmen's Grievances Adjusted-Fell From a Bridge.

Winnipeg, Aug. 1.—(Special)—A. D. Bell, a fast bicyclist of Portage la Prairie, leaves next week for Vancouver to take up his residence there. He vill continue racing on the Coast.

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American Bid for Continental Sympathy in Their Grab on Lynn Canal.

Imperial Defence of Colonial Interests Made Subject of Foreign Concern.

By Associated Press.

New York, Aug. 1 .- An afternoon paper publishes the following under Paris date: "Official circles here are following with close interest the American-Canadian conflict. In the diplomatic world the view is taken that although no French interests are directly involved in the dispute, nevertheless one cannot but be struck with the resemblance of the measures employed by Canada to strengthen her pretensions to Lynn canal bear to those used in regard to France by the Newfoundland govern-

St. John's, Nfld., Aug. 1.—The British steamer John Bright, from Batiscan, July 13, for London, which arrived here fortnight ago, with her bows store in by collision with an iceberg in the Straits for Bully lyle left here westers to were a triangular course, is being looked to the straits forward to with intense interest in yachting strains. by collision with an iceberg in the Straits of Belle Isle, left here yesterday to resume her voyage, having received a temporary wooden bow. During a severe storm which prevailed last night this structure went to pieces, and the ship narrowly escaped going to the bottom. She had to return here to-day, with her pumps going constantly to keep her afloat. She will have to be docked again, and she will probably make permanent repairs here.

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KRUGER AT A DISCOUNT.

Johannesburg, Aug. 1.—It is stated that the volkstraad, at the secret session held to consider President Kruger's proposal for the removal of the religious disabilities which disqualified Jews and Catholics for the franchise, rejected the proposal. It is reported that quantities of military stores are arriving at Pietermaritzburg daily.

Greenock, Aug. 1.—The mail steamer Dromedary collided in a fog last night with the yacht Vendetta off the Scotch coast. The Dromedary lowered boats and searched fruitlessly for the yacht, which exentually arrived at Milport at dawn. She was cut down to the water's Kan's Clover Root Tea acts directly on edge. Her crew manfully stuck to the pumps, and the fourteen persons on the bowels, liver and kidneys, keeping pimps, and the fourteen persons on the bowels, liver and kidneys, keeping pimps, and the fourteen persons on the bowels, liver and kidneys, keeping them in perfect health. Price, 25 cents and 50 cts. Sold by Henderson Bros.

Serious Outbreak in Mexico Alread; Claiming Several Notable Victims,

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 1.-A special to the Globe-Democrat from Ortis, Mex

"Any doubt that the Yaquis are on the warpath in earnest was dispelled to-day, when news reached here that several Americans and Mexicans had been killed in the Yaqui river valley, east and southeast of this section. The courier who came with the news of the slaughter declares he saw a desperate light at a point 40 miles southeast of Ortis, and that he has positive evidence that J. P. Remley, a merchant of Hormosillo, and E. Miller, a photographer in his employ, were among the killed. Remley was one of the best known Americans in Sonora.

"The inhabitants of towns in and near the Yaqui valley are in a state of terror." "Any doubt that the Yaquis are or

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"Gen. Torrez, commander of the first military zone, which includes Sonora, Sinaloa and Lower California, who was in the field with the Twelfth regiment, is reported among the slain.

"No information is obtainable as to the number of fighting Indians under at the number of fighting Indians under at the number of the proportions of the war ended in 1897, the number may be placed at between 3,000 and 4,000. The outbreak is a surprise to the state officials.

"It is impossible to secure accurate figures as to the total number killed today, but the estimate of 50 on each side is not considered excessive."

blance of the measures employed by Ganada to strengthen her pertensions to Lym canal bear to those used in regard to France by the Newfoundland government by the Newfoundland government whose wishes England respects, but on whom it is impossible to force her own. On this point a prominent of the property of the prope

AT ALL BARS

AND RESTAURANTS MARTEL'S THREE STAR OF ALL WINE AND

The Tennis Tournament.

Mr. and Miss Goward Win the Mixed Doubles From the Champions of Seattle.

Finals in the Club Handicap to Be Played This Afternoon-Other Events.

Again yesterdayathe courts of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club were favored siasts, the ladies as usual being in the gowns adding beauty to the scene. There from the Sound cities including Mr. C. A. Hurd, the champion of Washington, and Mr. L. Pelly, of Seattle. There were a number of exciting matches, the most interesting of which, however, was Miss Goward, of Victoria, and Mr. S. Russell and Miss Riley, of Seattle. The Victoria pair won after a very hard visitors met so strong a team at such an

was prov

Fixtures For To-day,
As the tournament progresses, interest
in the matches increase, for to-day, for
instance, there being several sets that
should be really exciting. In the ladies'
singles Miss Riley is to meer Miss Dennistoun; Miss Musgrave will play Miss
Twigg; and Miss Beatty, of Vancouver,
Miss Kitto. The match between R. H.
Pooley and G. C. Johnston, and G. V.
Cuppage and R. E. Barkley, should be
very close, but of all the matches that Suppage and R. E. Barkley, should be zery close, but of all the matches that setween S. Russell, of Senttle, and R. B. Powell, at 4:15, is attracting the greatest nterest. At 3:30 J. F. Foulkes towe 10) will play Lieur, Hay, R. N., (rec. 15) he final in the club handicap. Following are the fixtures for the day:

B. J. Tye and MI-S Devereux.
2:45—MIss Beattle (Vancouver) vs. MIss
Kitto.
2:45—Haines and Miss Arrowsmith vs.
A. T. Goward and Miss Goward.
2:45—Haines and Miss Goward.
2:45—Miss. Rollins and Miss Riley vs.
winner of Mrs. B. Johnson and Miss Knox
vs. Mrs. Marquis and Miss S. Pemberton.
3:30—R. H. Pooley and G. C. Johnston
vs. G. V. Cuppage and R. E. Barkley.
3:30—Harvey Combe vs. winner of A. D.
Severs and R. G. Goward.
3:30—J. F. Foulkes (owe 40) vs. Lleat.
Hay, R.N. (rec. 15).
4:15—S. Russell vs. R. B. Powell.
5:15—R. H. Pooley vs. winner of H. B.
Helpes and W. H. Hillton
f.—D. M. Revers and Mrs. Borton.
5—D. M. Revers and Mrs. Borton.
5—Miss Twigge and Miss Bortion.
5—R. Rowe and J. B. Tye vs. Hilton
fold Lebb.
5:45—G. Schwengers and Wilson vs.
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and Leb). 5:45-C. Schwengers and Wilson vs. H.A. Goward and Little. 5:45-Winner of G. A. Hurd and H. B. Bell ys. winner of G. S. Holt and G. Wil-5:45-J. M. Miller vs. S. Pelly.

THE WHEEL.

Fry, C. E., has surveyed and laid out the track, and a quarter-mile course will be constructed. The E. & N. rail-may-company have very kindly offered to supply and deliver the cinder free at Duncan. The society is looking forward to a series of successful race meetings, and will hold a gymkana bicycle meet at the time of the show—September 29 and 30.

LACROSSE. A Protest.

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A protest has been entered by the J. B.

A. A. against Saturday's lacrosse match
at New Westminster, on the ground
that the New Westminster club failed
to forward to Victoria three days prior
to the match \$80 for expenses, as required by the rules.

THE GUN.

Live Bird Shoot, Live Bird Shoot.

The Victoria Gun Glub held their regular monthly meeting last evening, and decided to hold a live bird shoot, open to all comers, on August 13. The conditions of the match provide for 20 birds, and the prize is a gold medal. In order to ensure good sport and to ascertain the number of birds required, it was determined that all entries for the match be made with the secretary, accompanied by a deposit of \$2.50, on or before Saturday next.

Eastern Share Markets.

H. H. Dwight, wife and daughter and Mrs. George Terwillige, Sloux City; A. E. Little and vife and A. McLeod, Morgan, Man; J. M. Cathent, Sloilli, Ill.; W. G. Salwood and wife and H. Salwood, San Francisco; J. A. Campbell and wife, Fort-William, are a number of tourists registered at the Dominion. stocks opened strong and active. There was good buying by wealthy financiers and strong interests who have not been conspicuously identified with the market for some time, resulting in a steady advance without any material reaction. Higher prices are looked for this week under the corps. They are simply travelling for pleasure. J. Gorden and wife, Toronto; E. Gill and the Misses E. and M. E. Gill, of Oakland, Cal.; C. H. Robinson and wife, and Mrs. James Glazebook are among the tourists now in the city and quartered at the Vic-toria, S. G. Faulkner, of Vancouver, proxincial manager of the North American Life Assurance Company, is a guest at the Driard. surance Company, is a guest at the Driard,
Sherwood Skinner, of St. John, N. B.,
is at the Driard.

T. P. Quinn and B. White, two of Rossland's mining men, and H. Babayan, Vancouver, are at the Dominion.

H. C. Sawyer and wife, of Port Ludlow,
Wash, registered at the Driard last evening.

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| . R. I. & P | 120% | 120% | 119% | 120 |
| m. Tobacco | 108 | 1091/2 | 108 | 1094 |
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| & N | | 75% | 743% | 74% |
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Local Share Market.

[Reported by Cuthbert & Co.] TUESDAY, Aug. 1.

ding to the Roll of Slain.

Maniia, Ang. 1.—Sunday's fight at Calamba was a warm one. The insurgents were unwilling to abandon the place, which is the key to the lake road, Gen. Hall, hearing that Gen. Mal—was preparing to make an attack, s. Maj. Weisenberger with three companies of the Twenty-first infantry, three troops of cavalry, and one of Hamilton's guns, to attack the insurgents.

This detachment found a force of one thousand rebels behind hastily-made entrenchments. The rebels held their fire until the contingent of the Twenty-first regiment was within 300 yards, when they fired a volley. The Americans dropped in the high grass out of sight, and returned the fire. Lieut, Love, who was walking erect along the front of the men, was shot in the arm. An insurgent officer, equally brave, stood at the top of the trenches directing the fire of the insurgents, until he was killed, when the Filipinos fled.

During the fighting on the north side of the town, a small body of insurgents attempted to enter on the south side, but a troop of cavalry repulsed them.

The total loss at Calamba was seven TUESDAY, Aug. 1.

An active market is to be noticed to-day. The list of stocks dealt in was a fairly long one, the largest sales being made of Van Anda. Some large blocks of this stock were sold while the price in the East was a shade better than yesterday. Dardanelles was a very free seller, some large orders coming Indenting the day. Noble Five also found buyers, although the price was a fittle case. True of a few weeks ago. Athabasen a matter of a few weeks ago. Athabasen a shade branch of a few weeks ago. Athabasen a shade branch of a few weeks ago. Athabasen a shade are the somewhere weeks ago. Athabasen a shade fraction of the state of the s

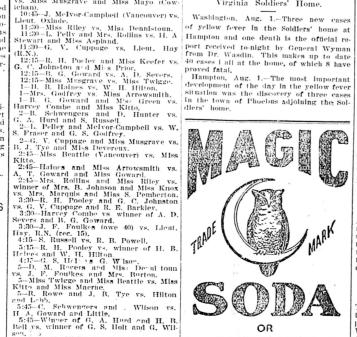
YELLOW FEVER.

Has Spread to the Town Adjoining th

going to Calamba.

A body of insurgents visited Taytay, where they killed several natives who were friendly to the Americans.

San Francisco, Aug. 1.—Col. Hawkins of the Pennsylvania regiment, died on July 18 on board the transport Senator, en route to this city with his regiment from Manila. Apoplexy is said to have been the cause of death.



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Mrs. J. D. Warren returned hast even-ing from a visit to the Mainland. E. M. Broughton, of the Giant Powder Co., left for the Sound last evening. Mr. Justice Drake was a passenger from Vancouver yesterday evening. J. B. Lovell, who has been visiting on the Mainland, returned home last even-

VICTIMS OF PHILIPPINES.

Another Skirmish at Close Quarters Ad-

ding to the Roll of Slain.

them.

The total loss at Calamba was seve The total loss at Cambida was seven illed and twenty wounded. Sixteen dead insurgents have been

The American garrison at Morang is

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Montreal, Aug. 1.—Culbert Cyr. 15 years of age, residing on St. Louis street, learned out of the third story window of his parents' residence this afternoon and grasped an electric light wire, receiving a shock which knocked him to the sidewalk below. He was picked updend.

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A SHIP'S COMPASS.

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From the Montreal Gazette.

Discussions have recently taken place with reference to compasses on board iron and steel built vessels. Few people among the general public have any knowledge of the difficulties encountered by officers of ships in connection with the action of iron on the compasses situated in different parts of the ship. It may therefore appear strange to some to be told that it is quite possible for the north point of the needle of each compass on board to take a different direction while the vessel is upon the stocks being built and for some time after being launched. This is called the natural de-viation, and will remain until the com-passes are adjusted to be as near as possible correct magnetic, which is the object to be attained by swinging the ship for that purpose,

purpove.
Should a number of compasses be placed Should a number of compasses be placed upon separate wooden rafts, situated in different parts of our harbor, their needles would all point to the north magnetic pole, provided that no iron boits had been used in the construction of these rafts to affect them.

in the construction of these rafts to affect them.

It is, however, a fact well known to seamen tant every iron or steel ship becomes a magnet during the process of building. The magnetism of each individual ship depends upon the hemisphere in which she is constructed, the direction of her head or bow is placed in while being built, the dip of the needle in that locality, the length of time occupied in building, and the amount of percussion the vessel is subject to while she is being riveted.

It is admitted that certain magnetic directions in which is lay down the keel of a vessel are preferrable to others, but building rards for ships cannot always be selected with this end in view.

While upon the stocks, the magnetism of some vessels is strong and of a very pronounced character.

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After launching a portion of it is lost, especially if the bow be reversed for any considerable portion of time.

It is a good pinn to change the direction of a ship's head immediately she is floated, and for some time before she proceeds upon a voyage. This custom is adopted in most of the large passenger steamship cap. voyage. This custom is adopted in the large passenger steamship com-

original magnetism, however, never The original magnetism, however, never leaves the ship entirely, although it generally becomes weaker, but the compasses require to be adjusted and compensated for errors caused by the attraction of various kinds of iron situated near them, as well as for a permanent magnetism acquired in building.

If a vessel is built in Great Britain and prompts out to Cauche it would be a wise

If a vessel is built in Great Britain and brought out to Canada it would be a wise and necessary pre-aution for the owner to have the compasses readjusted on her arrival here and previous to her leaving port to be employed in the coasting trade. Unfortunately we have no proper place selected for swinging ships for this purpose.

POLES ON THE SHIP.

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An Iron vessel built in the northern hemisphere, with her head north magnetic, becomes magnetized so that her bow is a north pole and her stern a south pole. She is, in fact, a magnet with her polar axis running fore and aft—that is to say, from bow to stern. Should she be built with her head east in this harbor, her polar axis will run athwart ships. The port side widthen have northerly and the starboard side southerly magnetism.

In this case when steering upon our coast either east or west there may be little or no deviation of the compass caused by this kind of magnetism, but when saling north or south up the Buy of Fundy, or towards Cape Ray, the north pole of the compass will be attracted towards the starboard side of the ship which has acquired the opposite magnetism.

It has been frequently observed that after an iron ship has crossed the Atlantic, coming west, the compasses were affected when the vessel's head was turned up to the northward, making for this harbor; this usually terader tetentive magnetism, and doo's not remain very long after the cause has been removed, which is in consequence of her having been for some time in one direction.

Similar circumstances take place when a ship is lying in one direction in a dock for a considerable period.

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a ship is lying in one direction in a dock for a considerable period.

A man who takes command of an iron vessel ought to be acquainted with everything in connection with her magnetic character. He should understand his ship as a jockey knows all the points of a horse, and it is the duty of a ship owner or manager of a shipping company to inform him of the position the vessel's head was placed in when being built, the date she was swung for the adjustment of her compasses and also provide him with cards of deviation for each of the compasses. Wooden ships have very little deviation of their compasses, and the binnacle compassended generally points to the correct magnetic north pole unless it is influenced by the magnetism of any iron, especially vertical iron situated in its vicinity, or by the magnetic action of the cargo.

"THE NORTH POLE."

The magnetic action of the cargo.

"THE NORTH POLE."

The north magnete pole is situated to the northward of Hudson's Bay on the Booth's peniusula and probably includes a portion of the land at Cape Fellx, on King Willam's Island, as the magnetic pole is not a point like the true pole, but it covers an area of from 45 to 60 miles. Str John Franklin met his death near this locality in 1847.

Many large ships carry a standard compass, to which the others may be referred, although each compass should have a separate deviation eard. When a ship is supplied with a standard compass, it should always be used for navigating purposes, and on most of the large ocean passenger steamships such is the case. Officers of ships should therefore be continually taking observations for ascertaining the errors of this compass, and note any changes that are taking place in the deviation. Many accidents occur from want of knowledge of how to apply the deviation. It is well known that a large quantity of railroad from affects the compass, and sometimes the magnetism induced in case oil this will also attract the needle, as these so-called tins are generally made of this sheet from covered with a coating of its. Lobster rins, in the wicinity of the compass will also have an influence upon the reade.

Several cases of this kind of attraction have been reported to me, having some under the notice of officers of wooden salling ships, when making vogages from New York to Eastern waters. They were impressed with the idea that it was some metallic quality in the oil that caused the compass disturbance. This, of course, could not be the case.

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An iron spanner or monkey wrench, or even a martin spike, carclessly left near a compass, will sometimes make an alteration of the direction of the compass needle, amounting to one or more points, and it has been known, that a magnetic belt worn by a gramman seering a ship has materially affected the compass, causing the vessel to deviate from her course to a considerable extent.

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penter in forgetting to remove the iron spanner he had been using to tighten up the spider band of the mark head compass.

C.P.N. Co., Ld., Steamers will leave Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf for

the splider band of the mast head compass. This being left in a vertical position near the compass while the man went to his discussion of the ship by electricity have sometimes affected the compass so that the steering of the ship was made cratic. For safety no dynamos should be placed at a distance of less than thirty-five feet from the standard compass. The Admiralty Mannal states that experience has shown this as being sufficient to avoid any chance of disturbing the needle. On board H. M. ships great care is generally taking in the management of the compasses, which are under the supervision of the navigating officer. As a rule one dynamo is always in operation in most men-of-war, even during the englie room and stoke holds and bunkers, as most of these places are under the protected decks. While these ships are being sweeted of the compassion of the supervision of the management of the compassion of the supervision of the protected decks. While these ships are being saw the contract of the compassion of the protected decks. While these ships are being sweeted or the dynamo is running separately and for the dynamo is running separately and for the dynamos when running all together.

Affairs therefore in connection with the compass become compilered if the greatest expossible attention is not given to the matter. I am informed by an officer of one of the vessels in port that most men-of-war are swung for compass correction at least once a year, or upon any great change of geographical position. Observations for ascertaining the deviation are to be taken at least once a day, or upon any change of the compass course. This offer has also allowed me to inspect some Napler diagrams taken on board that ship. This offer passed a most creditable examination for the cable steamship Minia for diagrams taken on board that ship. This offerer passed a most creditable examination for new, but is or should be known to all officers who have charge of the navigation of on iron ship.

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The history of the Canadian Pacific railway is full of encouragement to every patriotic Canadian. Those of us who recall what was said about this great enterprise, will not need to be reminded that many claimed, when it was proposed, that the road would be a drag upon the vitality of Canada, because it would never pay. Even within a short time we have seen some of the papers of the United States clamoring for the protection of the railways of that country from the competition of a line which these papers alleged to be maintained in great part by Imperial and Dominion bonuses. As yet the public hardly appreciate that this great Canadian railway is operated at a handsome profit, purely on a business basis, its net earnings having reached last June the splendid sum of a million dollars and upwards. Traffic over the line is increasing rapidly, and we all know that the development of Southern British Columbia means the still greater expansion of the business of this inter-oceanic highway.

Yet the Canadian Pacific does not run through the best part of Canada, nor does it occupy the best position on the continent in connection with the growing trade of the Orient. To the north of what by any stretch of reasoning car be considered to be the peculiar terri tory of the Canadian Pacific, lies the best part of the Dominion, and across a more northerly portion of Canada than that extending from Lake Superior to Orient. The Canadian Pacific occupies a territory from which it will draw an ever increasing traffic. It has connec tions at its eastern and western ter minals that will make it for all time to come one of the main arteries of inter national commerce. But there is room for just as great an enterprise to the north, which will be a rival but not a competitor, because the vastness of the region to be opened up in Canada and the enormous commerce to be built up on the Pacific and find its way eastward ncross the Atlantic to Europe will afford business enough for two great trans-continental Canadian railway systems.

This is no new theme to Colonist readers, but it is something which will bear frequent reference. The time has come for a general advance in Canada The winds are favorable, and the sails of our ship of state should be spread to eatch them. This is no time to be pot-tering along in the shallows, feeling our way with the lead and looking out for a shelter into which to run if the breeze grows fresh. The good ship Canada should be steered straight for the open sea, with every stitch of canvass spread to the favoring gales. This is as true of British Columbia as of the whole Dominion, and if the men whose watch on deck it happens now to be are afraid to risk the spars in the strengthening breeze, let them go below and let others take charge of the ship.

THE NEWS FROM ATLIN.

The news from Atlin is highly satis-On Sunday we gave an interview with Lieutenant-Governor McInne view with beginning too with Mrs.
And to-day we print one with Mrs.
Hitchcock, They are both in the same
enthusiastic, strain. A valuable thing
dbout them is that they are from such noot them, is, that, they are from such your different points of view. There is no longer any room for doubt that Atlin is a district of very great promise. No one chains that it will make a number very different points of view. There is no longer my from for doubt that Atlin is a district of very great promise. No one claims that it will make a number of millionaires every year out of its placers, but, it will become and long remain a field where highly profitable mining operations in ordinary placers, hydralic works and lode mining will be profitably earlied on. The Colonist has been asked if it is necessary for members of the provincial cabinet to hold seats in the house. It is, The Constitution Act does not say so, and there is no other law that does, but it is in accordance with constitutions of all the prime mining operations of the city would do the work, But there is no likelihood of the city undertaking it. The scheme has many positive good points, and is open to singularly few objections. It ought to be adopted.

The Colonist has been asked if it is necessary for members of the provincial cabinet to hold seats in the house. It is, The Constitution Act does not say so, and there is no other law that does, but it is in accordance with constitutional practice, which is as much the law of the land as if it were formally signed at heatre has been to hear a reading by James Whitcombe Riley. The Colletant de Mazene has cost M. Loubet \$\$50,000, a fact which is taken to indicate that the French president's private means are greater than was generally supposed.

President Loubet has given orders for four portraits of limself, which will be painted this summat. He has also ordered portraits of all the prime ministers who have served since 1871.

It is not generally known that Capt.

are favorable. Its wonderful beauty is ly enacted by the legislature. No govnot the least of its attractions, for it is certain to become a favorite tourist re-

ort. This year's results will be very satisfactory, but nothing like they would have been if the government had not made such a precious muddle of every-thing in connection with the administration of affairs there. But things will run more smoothly next year, and especially if the legislature will see the necessity of repealing some of the legislation of last session that has borne particularly hard upon Atlin.

THE WAR IN THE PHILIPPINES.

An officer of the United States voluneers, writing from Manila, says the Filipinos are improving in their fighting powers, while the American troops are being enervated by the climate. Speaking of the volunteers he says: "Most of them are saturated with malaria. They are unfit for further duty. As it is with them, so it is likely to be with their successors." He adds the following significant statement:

ing significant statement:

The 8,000,000 people of the Philippines are as highly civilized as the 12,000,000 of Mexico. If the American people will imagine the United States to have acquired Mexico against her will, and to be engaged in an attempt to put down a universal rebellion of the Mexicans with 20,000 troops, they will have a duplicate picture at close range of the situation in the Philippines, with the exception that the climate is from 10 to 15 degrees more tropical than that of Mexico.

It is very evident that the conquest of the Philippines will be a long and exceedingly difficult undertaking. The people of the United States entered upon the campaign with a light heart, owing to Dewey's extraordinary good luck in de-stroying the Spanish fleet at Manila. But what was expected to be a matter of a few weeks only has already extended over a year, and seems no nearer a conclusion than it was at the beginning. The political effect of the war is dis-turbing the Republican party, one of whom, Senator Burrows, of Michigan,

says:

It is my judgment that if the war in the Philippines is still in progress next year, and the end is not then in sight, the situation will be to the disadvantage of the Republican party. The only hope for the party, and the country, I might add, is in a speedy change of conditions in the Philippines. Unless the war in the Philippines speedily ends, it will become an important political factor, and its continuance will make the outlook for Republican success uncertain to say the least.

Senator Burrows would like much to see the United States got clear ow the thing could be done.

Twenty years ago all America was talking about Kate Chase Sprague, the brilliant daughter of Chief Justice Chase of the United States Supreme Court, and wife of the wealthy Khode Island governor. Her home in Washington, where she resided during her husband's senatorial term, was the social centre of of the United States. A grave domestic scandal put an end to her career, and later financial reverses came upon her. Her death at the age of 59 occurred yesterday.

News comes from South America that a funny comment upon Ambassador White's promulgation of the Monroe Doctrine at The Hague. It is to the effect that under the leadership of Brazil an offensive and defensive alliance is to be formed of all the South American countries against There have been indications of a move

The New York Sun makes great threats as to what the United States will do to Canada if any law is passed ex-cluding aliens from the Yukon. The Sun is an exceedingly fresh paper. Dana senior's time it was bumptious but able. In Dana junior's it is bumptious and silly.

The little flurry among certain Eastern banks will quickly pass away.

The Nelson Tribune tells its readers that the Opposition are very glum because Mr. Semlin does not call upon them for assistance at this juncture. The Tribune is delightfully misinformed. The Opposition are feeling quite well,

The Toronto Globe prints a letter written from Wind City, N. W. T., on November 22, 1898. It says that all the party then camped there were well and had plenty to eat. This pleasant prospect was terribly altered before the long winter was ended.

How much longer is British Columbia to go without an Executive Council? The law is very explicit to the effect that the Executive Council must contain an attorney-general. There has been prac tically no attorney-general for several weeks, and actually none for two days. If Mr. Semlin cannot find any one to take the office, he should give way to some one who can.

To-day the James Bay by-law will be voted on. There has not been much discussion over it, but the prospect is that if a large vote is thrown it will be carried. Some people say it would be better if the city would do the work. But there

ernment could live an hour that attempted to carry on with any of its members without a seat in the house longer than is necessary to bring on an election after

Presumably the Times thinks it is cor rect in saying that its contention for the protection of the halibut fisheries has not been supported by its contemporar ies, but it is very much in error, just the same. The Colonist has frequently made the same contention, and on one occas ion gave a detailed description of the principal halibut ground in Hecate strait. nection that this strait is a portion of the territorial water of Canada, and con sequently that United States fishermer ought to be warned to keep out. the Times kindly inform the Colonist why it feels called upon to make dis paraging remarks concerning Mr. Cook. the correspondent of this paper at Otta wa, to whose letter it refers in this connection?

The Toronto Globe thinks the route to he Yukon via the Mackenzie 'is "worthy of more than passing consideration." So we think, but not as a So we think, but not as a route to the Yukon. Four days across the continent, three days in a steamer up the Coast, half a day in the Yukor waters, and then steam communication to any desired point, seem to furnish such an easy means of travel that, for the present, persons proposing to go extremely ill-advised to think of trying any other. A trip to Dawson in the fortable matter now. The traveller may eat at a table three times a day and sleep in a good bed every night, and run no greater risks than in going from Toronto to Ottawa. seem to be any special reason to consider any other route for present purposes. At the same time we heartily Mackenzie river being one that demands more than passing consideration. The splendid waterways to which reference is made affords highways for travel and traffic which are not likely long to remain unutilized. They pass through country containing extensive oil deposlikely to be high. They intersect much land fit for permanent settlement, and there is good reason to suppose that paying deposits of the precious metals will be found when the country is ever systematically prospected. It will be remembered that the Colonist several months ago printed a story told by man who alleged that he had found rich gold-bearing gravel east of the Macket-zie. His tale appeared probable, though it lacked confirmation. This is not the only report that has reached this office of that character. They all must be taken with much allowance, but that is true of all early stories from gold

THE LAUNDRY CHECK.

The Chinaman Puts on It a Pen Por trait of His Customer.

"Most people suppose," said an exCalifornian, "that the vertical row o', heiroglyphies on a Chinese laundry check are merely so many numerals. As a matter of fact, they are nothing of the kind, but constitute a brief and spicy description of the individual who left the bundle. If you will take the trouble to notice it, you will take the trouble to not said the later in the later in the left side of his nose." "You can carry around this flattering pen portrait, innocently imagining that it reads, 'No. 4-11-44,' and when you call for your wash you will find the Chinaman who reads the ticket will invariably look you over, making mental comparison, before he reaches for the bundle, A Mongolian friend of mine out in 'Frisco put me onto the the scheme, and I took the trouble to learn whether he was tellling me the truth. I got a laundry sip, copied it with microscopic fidelity and submitted it to several expert native translators. They all agreed that it ran something like this:

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"You will observe that my hair grows rather high on my forehead, and I have a few freekles, although nothing to justify such an insulting description. However, it proved the point. The next ticket I got declared that I was 'an elderly gentleman resembling Yum-Tai, the wind god,' which pleased me 'unmensely until I nersunded a native curio dealer "Most people suppose," said an ex-

et I got declared that I was 'an elderly gentleman resembling Yum-Tai, the wind god,' which pleased me-immensely until I persuaded a native curio dealer to show me a statucette of the deity. Then I wanted to murder the laundryman. The Chinese are a deep people, boys. They look as demure as guineapigs, but all the while they are quietly sizing us up and having a big laugh in their sleeves, which are made wide for that special purpose."

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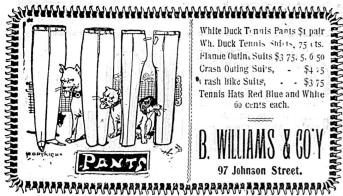
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VICTORIA TIDES.

[By Mr. Napier Denison.]

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THE LOCAL NEWS.

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To Book Lovers.—Just received, a complete edition of Kipling's works, 15 volumes at \$18 the set. Edition is limited, and orders for same at once. Victoria Book & Stationery

Co. (late Jamieson's).

Public Library.—During the month of July 1,535 books were issued from the public library, 852 to ladies and 683 to gentlemen. The greatest number issued in one day was 100, and the average number 60. Twenty new members were enrolled during the month, 13 ladies and seven gentlemen. The new books added to the library were: "Armenian Massacre; or the Sword of Mohammed," "Good for Nothing," by White Melville; Transactions and Proceedings of the Royal Society of Canada, 1898.

Good Morning! Have you had a glass of Fawcett's Ice Cream Soda? It is acknowledged to be the best in town. The New Drug Store, 49 Government

Coolican-King.—At Port Angeles on Wednesday last Col. Coolican, widely known in the West, and Mrs. Ida B. King, of Minneapolis, were united in marriage. The Times-Tribune of Port Angeles says of the event: "A very quiet and exclusive little wedding was solemnized at the Catholic parsonage in this city. Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, the Rev. Father Fay officiating. The contracting parties were Col. James S. Coolican, of this city, and Mrs. Ida Boulter King, of Minneapolis. Mrs. King was attended by her sister, Mrs. King was attended by her sister, Mrs. Ida Boulter King, of Minneapolis. Mrs. King was attended by her sister, Mrs. McLain, of Scattle, and Mr. James Stewart and Mr. Joseph Wolf were witnesses of the ceremony. Col. Coolican is one of the most widely known figures in the commercial history of Canada and the Western States, having been identified with the interests of this city since 1890. His bride is held in the highest esteem by those who know her as a lady of brilliant attainments and many social graces. She is well and

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Victoria Clearing House.—The returns of the Victoria clearing house for the week ending August 1 are \$522,015; balances, \$180,702.

Found His Canoe.—Capt. C. Mallandaine of the yacht Siren yesterday recovered a canoe on the beach off Beacon Hill, which he had lost on the return cruise from Albert Head on Sunday

Inland Revenue.—The inland revenue returns for the month of July follow: Spirits, \$10,508.09: malt. \$1,425.32; tobacco, \$4,384.80: cigars, \$506.70: licenses, \$1,140; other receipts, \$95; trat. \$15,079.04 total, \$18,059.91.

Customs Returns.—The Victoria customs returns for the month of July are as follows: IMPORTS.

...\$227,467 00 DUTY COLLECTED.

Arrested Here.—William Edwards, an old offender, was arrested upon the arrival of yesterday's noon train from Nanaimo by Constable Atkins. He is Nanaino by Constable Atkins. He is charged with the theft of articles belonging to a servant at the Koksilah

A Public Meeting.—Mayor Redfern has been asked to grant the use of the council chamber at the City hall for next Wednesday evening for the Port Angeles ferry scheme. The Victoria advocates of the scheme and the American promoters of it will address the meeting.

Voting To-Day.—The ratepayers of Victoria will to-day pass on the by-law "To provide for the erection of a steel or steel and store structure free of cost to the corporation in place of the present James Bay bridge, and for the reclamation of the flats." The scheme is known as the Croft scheme, Mr. Henry Croft agreeing to creet the bridge and reclaim the flats if he is given a 50-years lease of the reclaimed ground.

lease of the reclaimed ground.

Fish Got the Best of It.—Mr. C. N. Harrison, of the Hotel Victoria, had a narrow escape from drowning off Brotchie Ledge yesterday morning. With Mr. Theodore Robertson he was out trolling for salmon, when an unusually large fish took his hook. In attempting to land the fish Mr. Harrison took a header out of the boat. Fortunately another boat was near at hand, and Mr. Harrison was hauled out none the worse for his ducking.

for his ducking.

Helped the Needy.—During the month of July the Friendly Help Association assisted seventeen persons, eight receiving groceries, four milk (daily), two medicine and five clothing. Donations of clothing were received from Mrs. Wilson, Mrs McPhgrson, Mrs. Sharpe, Esquimalt; Mrs. J. Yorke, Mrs. W. Wilson, Quebec street; while cash was received from Mrs. Gould, the city and the provincial government. Any one having articles of furniture, such as a bed, bedding, tables chairs stoves crockery, etc., and a perambulator to dispose of are requested to communicate with Miss Lawson by telephone 532 or by letter to 146 Kingston street.

Body Recovered.—The body of Frank Bowser was found floating in Esquimal harbor yesterday a very short distance from where he and George Peart lost from where he and George Peart lost their lives some weeks ago through the capsizing of a skiff. Miss A. D. Cameron, who is camping at Kanaka ranch with some friends, saw the body and immediately notified the police. Sergeant Langley took charge of the remains and reported the circumstances to Coroner Hart, who decided that an inquest was not necessary. It will be remembered that Bowser, Peart and Alfred Hammond were out sailing in Esquimalt harbor when their skiff capsized. Bowser tired himself out by keeping Hammond, a boy, on top of the boat. The boy was the only one saved, and he was just about exhausted when rescued.

Not Epidemic.—Mr. J. G. Brown, the secretary in charge of the I. O. G. T. excursion to Seattle on August 12, is in receipt of a letter from Dr. McKechnie, the health officer of that city, in answer to an inquiry regarding the prevalence of smallpox in Seattle. Dr. McKechnie states that there were four cases, but no more have occurred, as those four cases were promptly and properly isolated in the Contagious hostital, eight miles from the city. Dr. McKechnie further assures Mr. Brown that the excursionists can visit Seattle with perfect safety, there being no small-pox there now. For some days a rumor lins been persistently circulated in the city that smallpox was raging in Seat-tle. Such is not the case, and in order to set the matter right Mr. Brown asks that this be published.

and \$1,00. Sold by Henderson Bros.

Gabinet Yet Incomplete.

Still Hunt for an Attorney General Proceeds Without Visible Success.

Mr. Henderson of Westminster Appears to Have Option on Portfolio.

recommended to the Lieutenant-Govern or remained unanswered.

Westminster is a rather dangerous constituency to open at present, especially with Mr. Henderson as a candidate, it is probable that he would be the next attorney-general. In fact yesterday's News-Advertiser, Hon. F. Carter-Cotton's paper, contained the following special from Victoria, an evidence that Mr. Henderson is favored by the government:

The News-Advertiser's special inform published the government's plans, for being interviewed on the subject here yesterday, Mr. Cotton stated that the would be strictly in order, for instance if formal acceptance had not been made by Mr. Henderson until he had can assed his chances for re-election.

A RUNAWAY GIRL

Miss Bessie Shoemaker, of Spokane Found in Victoria and Taken Home.

Miss Bessie, Shoemaker, a pretty girl Miss Bessie, Shoemaker, a pretty girl of 16, who has been in Victoria since Sunday, left for Spokane last evening in charge of Officer Brimgoll, of that city. The girl ran away from home, and had intended staying in Victoria in company with a woman friend, whom she has left behind. Her parents, however, learned of her presence in this city, and when Officer Brimgoll arrived last evening he had little trouble, with the assistance of Officers Walker and Redgrave, in locating the girl. She and her friend wermet by the officers in a restaurant, where Miss Bessie parted with her acquaintance. When told that she would have to return in company with Officer Brimgoll she appeared a little surprised, but made no objection. She was thereupon ushered into a hack and driven to her room at a hotel, where hasty preparations were made for the trip, and then taken to the steamer Utopia.

ARRIVAL OF THE DIRIGO.

She Brought South Ninety-nine Passe: gers, but Comparatively Little Treasure.

Treasure.

Mr. C. V. Lafarge, purser of the steamer Dirigo, which reached Nanaimo early yesterday morning, came down on the noon train, bringing \$50,000 in gold dust for a Victoria bank. He was accompanied by a number of the Dirigo passengers, including Turner Townsend, who went to Dawson early in the year; John Hepburn, who sold his tramway around White Horse to the opposition company and went to Dawson with hay and produce; W. J. Macauley, who has been on a visit to his son, Norman Macauley, at White Horse; and L. Brock and wife, of Dawson. The Dawsonites started on their trip to the Coast twelve days ago.

The Dawson arrivals report that the government telegraph line is now working here.

Getting Better.-Capt. Herman Smith who attempted to commit suicide on Sun day night by shooting himself, is recov ering.

Craigflower Road Again.—Messrs, R. J. Styles and Thomas Redding have been summonsed for driving over the sidewalk laid across Craigflower road by the corporation, objection to which was taken by residents of Victoria West, including Messrs, Styles and Redding.

For the Orphanage.—There was a large attendance, principally of ladies and children, at the excursion to Duncan yesterday in aid of the Protestant Orphans' Home, and a very pleasant day was spent on the banks of the Cowichan river. The ladies' committee had worked hard, and fully deserved the success with which they met.

Bonding Privilege.—In a letter to U.S. Consul Hon, Abraham E. Smith, th

Properties For Sale.

Good one-story house, lawn and garden, for sale cheap.

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OAK BAY DISTRICT—Almost adjoining the city limits. Several acres of the Very best class of land, \$500; on very easy terms.

easy terms.

SHOAL BAY (McNEILL ESTATE)—Three acres of this property, all under cultivation, on easy terms at a low figure.

OLD ESQUIMALT ROAD—One and a half acres near the residence of Mr. J.

easy terms.

K BAY AVENUE-Several good bulld-ing lots on this avenue, \$200 *ach, \$25 cash and the balance in quarterly payments, PEMBERTON & SON, Victoria, B. C.

Excursion to Nanaimo, SUNDAY, AUG. 6th

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Fare for the Round Trip \$1.50; Children 75c.

HIGH LIVING IN THE ROCKIES.

Vanderbilt Party Cultivate a Taste For Game in Anticipation of the Hunt in India.

A despatch from Glacier says:

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"Game dinners the rich young men of the Alfred Vanderbilt party of globe-trotters would have when they struck the Canadian Rocky mountains, and game galore from mountain, forest and stream was furnished the merry young university graduates now fairly started on their two years' trip through the hemispheres of the East and West.

"The travellers reached the Selkirk range of mountains to-day, and early this afternoon their private New York Central car, attached to the Canadian Pacific railway's Imperial Limited overland, was side-tracked within twenty minutes' walk of the base of the great glacier of the Selkirks. While the distinguished scions of wealthy papas were escorted by Swiss guides to the glacier, with its yawning crevasses, hunters, who had been apprised of their coming with its yawning crevasses, hunter, who had been apprised of their comin who mad been apprised of their coming when they were yet far out on the stock-dotted plains of the Canadiar West, loaded the ice chests of the car with victims of rod and gun. They had telegraphed ahead for trout from glacia streams, and bear and other game fron the limitless forests of the mountair side, for these young men are going after the limitless forests of the mountai side, for these young men are going afte game in India and other old world parts and had decided to cultivate a taste i

and had decided to cultivate a taste in advance.

"Young Vanderbilt and Douglas Cochrane had the most thrilling experience of the party, while traversing a section of the glacier. They had experienced torrid weather in the Bast, and permitted the Alpine guides to lower them into one of the minor crevasses. With the nid of ropes they descended \$5 feet into the icy gorge and received a cooling off which Vanderbilt hoped would stay with him while touring India.

"The trip thus far through the Rockies has been a revelation to these lively young men. In the party are included Alfred Vanderbilt, son of Cornelius Vanderbilt, who arranged the trip some time ago, and Messrs. Douglas Cochrane, Ernest Iselin and W. P. Burden. Mr. Iselin is from Columbia university, Mr. Vanderbilt from Yale, and Messrs, Burden and Cochrane from Harvard."

More Chuck.—The water in Goodacre lake having fallen considerably during the warm weather, the lake is being re-filled from the city water mains.

The Tempting Cherry.—Owing to the youth of the accused, the charge of cherry-stealing preferred by G. J. Burrows against a lad named Marston was heard by Magistrate Hall yesterday morning with closed doors. After taking a major portion of the evidence, the hearing was adjourned until Saturday.

Still Further Adjourned.—The assault case in which milkman Forde is com-plainant and milkman Holmes defendant plainant and milkman Holmes defendant was further dealt with in the police court yesterday, the defendant taking the stand, and while admitting that he had struck the prosecutor, justified the action on the ground that he had been acting in self-defence, resisting an attack in which large stones and a club were introduced by Forde. The matter will probably be disposed of at the next sitting, on Monday morning.

At the Theatre,—Again last evening the Jessie Shirley company played to a fair audience at the Victoria theatre, presenting "Trilby." This evening it will be "Moths." This play is a dramatization of Ouida's famous book, and gives ample scope for the very best work, dramatically, to be expected anywhere. There are four acts, each one stronger than the preceding and leading up to some very powerful climaxes, in which the attention of the beholder is wrought up to a very high pitch. wrought up to a yery high pitch.

"Moths" has everywhere received the tribute of being termed one of the best and strongest society dramns written, and one that appeals particularly to the cultivated and refined elements of social life. There are comedy scenes, of course, to relieve the tension, and as a whole one may look for a thoroughly artistic performance.

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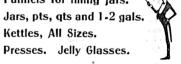
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A successor to Mr. Joseph Martin as Attorney-General of British Columbia has not yet been named officially, rumor still passing about the names of legal gentlemen affiliated with the Semlin government, and some who are not allied Governor and Premier, from one of 633 whom the first announcement must come, both stated last evening that nothing of tion as to whether a successor had been

"Victoria. July 31.—It is understood that Mr. Henderson, Q. C., representing New Westminster City, has been offered and accepted the portfolio of attorney-general, resigned by Mr. Joseph Mar-tin"

int would appear to have prematurely lespatch is not correct-which denial

Some of the mail on the Danube, when she struck a rock at Comox, has reached Dawson. It was not dried when taken from the hold of the steamer, and upon arrival at its destination was a

An Expensive Practice.—The habit which certain of the express and hack drivers have recently fallen into of leaving their horses untied and unattended on the "stand" is likely to prove expensive to the offenders. Two summonses in this regard were issued yesterday, and there are others to follow.

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In Case and Bulk.

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In Case and Bulk.

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Victoria Lands A Heavy Freight

N. P. Liner Spends Most of Yesterday Discharging Victoria Cargo.

Victorians Now Controlling Atlin Transportation Business-New Sound Indicator.

prise for the officers of the Northern Pacific steamship Victoria when told yesterday morning on arrival from China and Japan that the ship had been chartered by the United States govern ment as a transport to carry men, horses and supplies to the Philippines. The Victoria was in port all day yesterday and discharged 450 tons of general freight. She still has 3,000 tons on board for Tacoma. She landed 53 Chines# and 38 Japanese at Victoria, and carries on to Tacoma 72 Chinamen and ags on to Tacoma 12 Chinamen and laps. There were in her saloon Dr. ore-Graham, formerly health officer Xobe, who with his wife and family moving to Tacoma, principally to advantage of the educational instions; Mr. and Mrs. Landow, who returning to France from a wedding in all parts of the globe, extending a period of two verse: Mr. Koll trip in all parts of the globe, extending over a period of two years; Mr. Bell, who has been travelling for an American firm for some months; and G. B. Will, a colonial business man, now on his way to Dundee. Scotland, who has spent 26 years in Calcutta and the last 4½ months in seeing Australia, New Zealand and Japan. Mr. Will visited the provincial museum yesterday, as he does the museums of every part of the world, and says that the local collection is the best of its kind he has ever seen, and quite outclassed any in New Zealand or Australia. When he left Bombay the bubonic plague was rampant, and the record of 200 deaths in one day had been established.

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Purser McDonald of the Victoria has gone on a few months' holidays, and Purser Lockwood of the Tacoma has succeeded him, while the latter's position has been taken by Mr. Norfolk. The pursers of the Glenogle and Columbia have also changed positions, the former having come over on the Victoria to accept a position in Tacoma.

NEW TRANSPORTATION CO. The John Irving Navigation Company Now Controlling Trade to Atlin.

News was received yesterday that the John Irving Navigation Company, Limited, has now practically a monopoly of the Atlin transport business, operating in conjunction with their line the transway between Taku and Atlin lakes, and furnishing a service second to none in the North. The company is under the management of Capt. John Irving, of this city, whose circular letter to agents here and in Vancouver read to ship all goods for the company via the White Pass & Yukon railway. Although virtually controlling the entire trade of the route, the company have made no attempt to advance rates, the schedule of charges remaining as follows: Freight, per ton, \$25; wagons, in quantity, to Taku, \$10; passengers, \$12.50; staterooms, \$2.50; and meals, \$1.

FOR THE WEST COAST.

Steamer Willapa Sailed Last Evening With a Large Number of Pas-

Steamer Willapa sailed for West Const points last evening, well filled with pas-sengers. Among them were Ross Mun-ro, H. C. Brewster, who goes to Clayo-quot to assume management of Thomas Guot to assume management of Thomas Earle & Company's cannery business there, J. Maitland-Dougall, Miss John-son, Miss McFarland, Miss Riddle, Mrs. Logan, Hon, E. Dewdney, F. T. Childs, H. Saunders, W. Brewer, A. S. Going, J. McKenzie, A. E. Waterhouse, Colonel

A SOUND LOCATOR.

Instrument That Should Prove of Great Benefit to Navigators.

on exhibition down at E a sounda point of usefulness, of modern navigation. It is for finding the bearing
of fog whistles, and by it these can be
located with an exactness heretofore not
known. It resembles a megaphone in
shape, and as such can, in fact, be used,
but attached to the supporting arm is a
hand which swings horizontally over
two dials, one working within the other
The outer dial is recent.

ENTERED. Str. Islander from Vancouver.
Str. Utopia from Port Townsend.
Str. R. P. Rlithet from Westminster.
Str. Garland from Port Angeles.
Str. Victoria from Yokohama.

CLEARED. Str. Islander for Vancouver, Str. Utopla for Port Townsend, Str. R. P. Rithet for Westminster, Str. Garland for Port Angeles, Str. Victoria for Tacoma, Str. Willapa for West Coast,

Interesting Address by Grand Chie Templar Malins Last Evening.

The lecture by Mr. Joseph Malins, the Right Worthy Grand Chief Templar of the World, last night in A. O. U. W. hall was fairly well attended. Grand Chief Templar Rev. A. E. Green occupied the chair, and asked Mr. Burnett to open with a piano solo, followed by a song from Mr. J. G. Brown. Mr. Green then introduced Mr. Malins in a short, eulogistic speech, Mr. Malins receiving an enthusiastic reception. His address was listened to with rapt attention from beginning to end. His style is conver sational, lit up with racy humor. He has a wonderful memory, and has the facts and figures bearing on the order of which he is head at his finger ends. Thirty-three years ago he came to America as a journeyman painter, short ly afterwards joining the order. Seeing

ly afterwards joining the order. Seeing its great adaptability for the people of the old land, he determined to return and do what he could to established; The first lodge was established in Birmingham three months after his return. The order grew slowly but surely until, in 1870, the Grand Lodge of England was formed with Mr. Malins as C. C. T. Mr. Malins was then asked to give all his time to the work, and the order grew apace until to-day there are 100. his time to the work, and the order grew apace until to-day there are 100, 000 adult members in England and over 100,000 in Ireland Scotland and Wales,

The outer dial is regulated by the case of the compass and by it fixed, while the megaphone is swung around until the sound of the whistle is heard. Then comes in the usefulness of the second dial, and the constructive power of the whistle is heard. Then comes in the usefulness of the second dial, and the constructive power of the white second dial, and is obtained. It is the the constructive power of the white second dial, and is obtained. It is the usefulness of the second dial, and the constructive power of the will be constructed to the white second dial, and is obtained. It is the usefulness of the second dial, and the constructive power of the order is untimited. Fiving the usefulness of the second dial, and the constructive power of the will be used to the white second dial, and the usefulness of the second dial, and the usefulness of the second dial, and the usefulness of the will be useful to the wholes of the white second dial, and the usefulness of the second dial, and the usefulness of the second dial, and the usefulness of the wholes of the white second dial, and the usefulness of the wholes of the white second dial, and the usefulness of the wholes second dial, and the usefulness of the word in the usefulness of the wholes second dial, and the obstructive is a standard to the diags. It is the usefulness of the word is untimited. The training the themses a vest-dial distributing literature, meetings and learning literature, meetings and learning literature, meetings and learning literature, the consultation of the wholes served the wholes served the whole served the two the wholes served the diagestive power, which is the consultation of the whole served the the properties of the order. There are only parts of the burden of the whole served the properties of the order. There are only parts of the burden of the word of the whole ser

SUPPOSED SUICIDE.

Toronto, Aug. 1.—A suit of clothes was found this morning on the bank of Black creek, a tributary of the Humber. In the pockets were found articles showing the clothes to be those of Matthew-Black, who worked at a planing mill in the city, and who has been suffering from nervous prostration. It is supposed the deceased committed suicide.

EMPEROR WINS QUEEN'S CUP. William's Yacht Achieves an Interesting

Victory at Cowes Regatta. Cowes, Aug. 1 .- The regatta of the

with beautiful weather and big crowds Starters in the race for the Queen's Cup were the Prince of Wales' Britan

Cup were the Prince of Wales' Britannia, Emperor William's Meteor, Satannia, Rainbow, Betty, Rosenauth and Getonia. The course was the old Queen's course to westward, round Lymington buoy to eastward, round Tulock buoy, finishing off at Cowes. Britannia and Meteor crossed the starting line together; Britannia took the lead, but Meteor rounded Lymington spit buoy the winner a minute ahead, with the others close up. Meteor, which allows Britannia 10 minutes, finished 3:45:15; Britannia, 3:56:59, and Satanita, 4:13:50.

Lord Lonsdale, representing Emperor William, was on board the Meteor dur-ing the race. The Princess of Wales Princess Victoria of Wales and the Duchess of York saw the races from the royal yacht Osborne. There was a bril

royal yacht Osborne. There was a brilliant gathering of the smart set on the lawn of the Royal Squadron.

The Meteor's victory disappoints Englishmen for a double reason, first because they do not like to have the cup

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PROVINCIAL NEWS

GRAND FORKS.

After many months of surveying and

the expenditure of much money, the O. P. R. engineers have at last discovered a feasible route for a railway over the divide between the Kettle and Okanagan river valleys, and to the south of Camp McKinney. Strange as it may seem, it is said the crossing of this divide he point indicated has offered the test difficulty to engineering skill with west of the Columbia river, at the point indicated has offered met with west of the Columbia river, and this was owing not so much to the elevation attained as the sudden drop off from the summit to the valley of the Okanagan, necessitating a circuitous route or zig-zagging down the mountain. Even this seemed difficult to attain, until lines were run to the north of what is known as Camp McCuddy, but as apparently engineering skill has triumphed over nature, it may be inferred that the C. P. R. will now take this route over which to build their main line from Midway to Penticton. Should such be the case, branch roads will be run to tap the main and western tributary of the Kettle river and a junction formed at some point near to and yet east of Rock creek.

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GRAND FORKS.

Grand Forks, July 29.—The Josic, in Summit camp, near the B. C., is being incorporated by Wolford, Holbroot, & Rodgers, of Spokane, and the workers, Capt. Rodgers and Joe Young, of Grand Forks. The capital stock is to be \$100,000 in 1,000,000 shares of 10 cents acch.

It is understood that an option has been given on all the conflicting interests of the famous Scattle claim, on the North Fork of Kettle river, eight miles from here, and it is probable that within at week there will be successful distution of the property.

A party of prominent mining menwere in town yesterday. It included Major R. G. Edwards Leekie, superintendent of the Gertrude and Coxie, Rossland; and P. A. O'Farrell, the well-known Spokane journalist. After inspecting Summit, Greenwood and other Boundary camps, the visitors left for Republic.

It is interesting to recall Mr. O'Farrel's prediction two years ago to the Gertrude and four tents dotting vacant lots within the city limits were counted yesterday.

A. C. Flumerfelt, of Victoria, is in town. He is a large shareholder in the Granby Smelter Company, and made at our of the Boundary camps this week with J. P. Graves and party.

Jeff Davis let a contract this week for a large amount of development work on the Overland, a very promising claim in Wellington camp. A long-foot shaft will be sunk on the Four Hundred claim, in Wellington camp, was a fore of men at work on the Four Hundred claim, in Wellington camp, a for other shaft with its and the will not occall the sunk on the property.

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Mayor L. A. Manly commenced this week the erection of a stone bonded warehouse on Bridge street.

W. A. Campbell and J. McGregor, of Rossland, are in town. Both will likely locate here.
A rare metal known as nagyagite, composed of tellurium, lead and gold, has been found on a claim owned by Robert Wood, Greenwood, at Triple Lake camp, on Canyon creek. a tributary of the Eastern Townships bank at Granby Que., Mrs. Robinson has been here for two months in connection with the opening of an agency here. He also inspected the City of Paris, Old Ironsides and Knob Hill mines, in which he is heavily interested.

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"Well, there's an are light or a row of bulbs in front of your place," urges the tempter.

"Yes, there is," assents the saloon man.
"And you have to pay for them," says the electrician.
"Of course."

"Well, why not get enough electricity for your money to light up the whole. There's your are light out there, and you pay for all the current that goes through it. The are light will burn just as good if the wire is supplying your saloon, and you're entitled to all the current on that wire because you pay for it."

If the saloon man relents, and there is evidence in the Gross Secret Service Bureau that he has in numerous instances, the electrician makes a bargain for a couple of dollars to supply the instrument which will do the work. This is a piece of Iron fitted with cilp springs which is put in where the feed wires of the company pass through the building. Then, taking another wire, hays it close against the springs, and that night when the company turns on the current, the bulk of the electricity is diverted from the meter by the cut in wire, and flows into the saloon, which is at once brill-lantly lighted at a trifling expense to the saloon man.
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liantly lighted at a trilling expense to the saloon man.

Just how difficult it is to discover this sort of swindling is apparent at a glance. In some instances a flat rate is charged, and there is no chance of an employee of the company dropping around and making a discovery.

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COAL SHIPMENTS.

Exports From the Colliery Ports During the Month of July.

The foreign coal shipments from the Vancouver Island collieries during the month of July were as follows:

NEW VANCOUVER COAL CO.
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6—88. Tartar, San Francisco.
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7—88. Slam, San Francisco.
3,885
7—8tr. Rapid Transit, Townsend.
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4,610
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THE COMING OF BABY.

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When a baby comes to the house real happiness comes. The care and anxiety count for nothing against the clinging touch of the little voice. The highest function given to human beings is bringing healthy, happy children into the world. Over thirty years ago the needs of women appealed to Dr. Flere, now chief consulting physician to the invalids' Hotel and Surgical institute, of Bufalo, N. Y. The result of his study improved by thirty years of practice is embodied in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It strengthens, purifies and makes healthy the organs distinctly femiline. It gives weak women the strength and health necessary for the production of healthy children, and it makes the bearing of those children ensy. It is sure to cure any weakness or derangement peculiar to women reas, purifies, intigorates.

o Provide for the Erection of a Steel or Steel and Stone Structure Free of Cost to the Corporation in Piace of the Present James Bay bridge, and for the Reclamation of James Bay Flats.

hereas it is expedient and to the the bridge. To Provide for the Erection of a Steel or

that the bridge at present crossing that portion of Victoria Harbor known as James Bay be replaced with a substantial steel or

And whereas for the purposes hereinafter mentioned it is necessary that the Corporation of the City of Victoria should acquire and for that purpose should expropriate the whole of the land and buildings situate on the south side of Humboldt street, and extending from the east side of James Bay bridge up to but exclusive of the Reformed Episcopal church;

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And whereas it has been ascertained, and now appears, that the Municipal Council, by the granting of a lease for fifty years and the second of the said of

And whereas such an arrangement would be beneficial to the Corporation;

Therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts is follows:

Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

Sec. 1. The Mayor and Clerk of the Corporation are hereby nuthorized to enterinto an agreement with any person or persons, body or budies only person or persons, body or budies of the corporation of the corporation of the first persons of the corporation, called or commonly known as the James Bay flats, up to the northerly line of Belleville street; and, secondly, all the land and budiengs situate, lying and being on the south side of Humboldt street and extending from the said James Bay bridge to, but not including, the ferformed Episcopal church, and known as city lots 171, 215, 214, 213, 212, 211, 210, 209, 205, 207, 208 and 205, in block 25, and lot for the said city, for any period corporation may at the time of entering into such agreement by law be enabled to grant, not exceeding, however, the space of fifty years, upon the terms and conditions and for the considerations following—that is to say:

(1.) The lessee or lessees shall within one

(1.) The lessee or lessees shall within one month after the execution of the said lease commence and diligently continue to fill in, with suitable material, to a height four feet above high water mark the whole of the land now known as Junes Bay flats, and hereinbefore firstly described:

the land hereinbefore secondly described:

(3.) The lessee or lessees shall forthwith on the execution of the said lesse proceed to and shall with proper dillgence prosecute the work of pulling down and removing the present James Bay bridge, and shall build on the site on which the present bridge stands a handsome steel bridge of the full width of Government street on solid buttresses of masonry or steel cylinders, filled with concrete, fitted with lamps for lighting the said bridge by electricity, such bridge to be in accordance with plans and specifications to be approved of by the chief and permanent engineer for the time being of the Corporation before the execution of the said lease, and such plans and appendications shall be smbodled in and form part of the said lease:

(4.) The lessee or lessees shall pay during the term of afty years, for which the said lease shall be granted, an annual pepper-corn rent, and the lesse shall contain as a term thereof the exemption of the whole of the property included in such lesse from the payment of all Municipal taxes, except licenses, during the continuance of the term thereby created:

Sec. 2. This by-law is made subject to the necessary nowers being granted by the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia by an act of the said Legislature uthorizing and empowering the Corporation to enter into and execute the said lease.

Sec. 3. This by-law shall before the final passing thereof receive the assent of the electors of the Municipality in manner prescribed by the "Municipal Clauses Act," and amending acts!"

Sec. 4. This by-law may be cited as the "James Bay Bridge and Flats Reclamation By-Law, 1890." Passed the Municipal Council the 17th day of July, 1890.

Carried Carlo Pro-Sollin

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VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

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unshine-6 hours 33 minutes. Mean temperature for July, 61.24 degree Total rainfall for July, .18 inch.

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Flood Disasters In the Orient

Thousands of Houses Swept Away and Hundreds Lose Their Lives.

Swarms of Japanese Laborers Leaving for Hawaii This Autumn.

The N. P. R. liner Victoria arriving yesterday brought an interesting bud get of Oriental advices.

The Victoria brought news of disas

wards of 1.000 houses were flooded, tele also interrupted.

its banks, owing to the heavy rains, and about 800 houses were inundated.

Serious damage was done by

away by water, the need ing.

Another account says: Between three and four hundred people were reported to have lost their lives. The little bamboo-built town of Oita seems to have suffered most. According to investigation by the Japanese authorities, 400 houses were swept into the river by the fall of an embankment 3,000 ken in aggregate length, and some 120 men, women and children went down to death in the falling debris. In Ashijimamura 70

the failing debris. In Ashijimamura 70 houses were washed away and 50 people were killed and 30 more are missing. Arrain on the Yanngit & Sanzo railway. The heavy pic killed.

China also seems to have suffered recently from storms. On July 4th many thousands of arros of rice crops were recently from storms. On July 4th many thousands of arros of rice crops were sended away. The heavy rains, which were accompanied by thurder and squalis, did much damage in the junks being wrecked. The most terribac acident was that which happened to a junk on its return voyage from Canton to Fahub. The vessel foundered in were over 80 passengers, men, women and children, on board, and about 50 persons, mostly women and children, were downed. The charitable institutions in China at once sent boat to rice and children, or board, and about 50 persons, mostly women and children, were drowned. The charitable institutions in China at once sent boat to rice and children, or board, and about 50 persons, mostly women and children, were drowned. The charitable institutions in China at once sent boat to rice and children of the junk after she left Canton, for the passengers, and have the passengers on the passengers, and the passengers on the passengers o

SUCCESSFUL WHALING EXPEDITIONS.

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The American whaling barks Charles W. Morgan, with 1,260 pounds of sperm oil and 65 pounds ambergris, and California, Captain Smith, with 900 pounds sperm, 1,260 pounds whale oil and 3,000 pounds of whalebone, arrived at Hakodati on July 10, both vessels having had a very successful season. Cantain dati on July 10, both vessels having had a very successful season. Captain Smith reports that on May 3, while the second officer's boat was fast to a large sperm whale, while the whale was sounding the line was fouled in the boat, which was drawn under water, and before assistance reached the crew a seaman named Martin Coogrove, aged 25, a native of Hartford, Conn. sank and was drowned.

THE RECENT RIOT AT TAICHOW. THE RECENT RIOT AT TAICHOW. The Universal Gazette says that during the recent anti-Christian riot at Taichow seven Catholic buildings were destroyed, crops were spoiled, some native Christiahs were wounded, and a few were taken prisoners, and only released on payment of ransoms amounting to \$3,000. It is alleged that the priests intended at first to fight the rioters, but were dissuaded from doing so by Chinese officials. Toatai Wu is dealing with the matter.

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A Japanese paper states that news has been received at Nagasaki of the murder at Viadivostock of Mr. C. Wahling, of the Vacuum Oil Company. Brief particulars only are given, from which it appears that the unfortunate man was murdered in the night by his Chinese servant, who with a hatchet smashed in

ccording to a Japanese paper, 15, Japanese laborers are to be imported off these 5,708 have been already contracted for with various Japanese emigration companies. It is said that the Japan Emigration Company has secured an order to supply 2,800 laborers, the Tokyo Emigration Company 7,444, and the Kobe Japanese Emigration Company 1,444, and pany 1,464.

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DAMAGE EXTENSIVE.

The coal mine in Wakamatsu prefecture, where such a terrible explosion occurred on July 14, is of considerable magnitude, says the Japan Mail. At the time of the accident the number of workmen employed was 800, and the daily output was about a million catties. It is estimated that the loss resulting from the catastrophe will be at lenst a hundren thousand yen, The principal owner, Mr. Hiraoka, is now travélling in Europe.

RUSSIA IN A BAD WAY.

Letters from Siberia describe an out reak of crime and general restlessnes of the country under the stimulus of the stream of settlers poured into it, has come an increase in murders, thefts and all crimes of violence, which are of every day occurrence in the Siberian towns. In Irkutsk, a Rogues' club, or organized gang of deprodators, has been formed, and houses are broken into and whole families murdered by bands of vagrant robbers. Even the railway is not safe, and trains are attacked and wagons and stations plundered, since it is mainly along the railway line that this recrudescence of lawlessness, extending to all the principal towns, Tomsk, Krasnoiarsk, Irkutsk, Yeneseisk and Yakutsk, has occurred.

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